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Larry Steinberg, Treasurer Bluegrass Committee 7500 Adler Way Louisville, KY 40222

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Reference: Year End Report (7/1/95-12/31/95)

Dear Mr. Steinberg:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-your report discloses no payments for administrative expenses. Administrative expenses are payments made for purpose of operating a political committee including, but not limited to, rent, utilities, salaries, telephone service, office equipment and Any such payments to a person aggregating in supplies. excess of \$200 in a calendar year must be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page. 2 U.S.C. \$434(b)(5) If these expenses are being paid by a connected organization, your Statement of Organization must be amended to reflect this Organization must be 5433(b)(2) In addition, if 2 U.S.C. relationship. expenses have been incurred but not paid in a reporting period, the activity should be disclosed as a debt on Schedule D, if the obligation is \$500 or more, or outstanding for sixty days or more. 11 CFR \$104.11

Any goods or services provided to your committee by a person, except volunteer activity (i.e., a person's time), would be considered an in-kind contribution from that person, and would be subject to the disclosure requirements of 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) and 11 CFR §104.13, and the limitations and prohibitions of 2 U.S.C. §§441a and 441b.

Clarification regarding administrative expenses should be disclosed during each two year election cycle beginning with the first report filed in the nonelection year. Please provide the necessary information regarding administrative expenses incurred by your committee and/or amend your report to disclose such expenses according to the referenced provisions of the Act and Commission Regulations.

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